



**“THE BIRTH OF YOUR PROPHETIC PROMISE”**

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*“And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart.” Galatians 6:9 (NKJV)*

► *If we’re patient through the \_\_\_\_\_, God will keep His promise and fulfill His \_\_\_\_\_.*

**HANNAH’S PERSONAL \_\_\_\_\_**

**1 Samuel 1:1-8 - Hannah’s three-fold suffering:**

- *She was loved but \_\_\_\_\_*

*“It’s in Christ that we find out who we are and what we are living for... part of the overall purpose he is working out in everything and everyone.” Ephesians 1:11 (MSG)*

- *She was \_\_\_\_\_ and burdened*

*“I am worn out waiting for your rescue, but I have put my hope in your word. My eyes are straining to see your promises come true.” Psalm 119:81-82 (NLT)*

- *She was not \_\_\_\_\_ relationally*

**HANNAH’S PROPHETIC \_\_\_\_\_**

**1 Samuel 1:10-18 - Hannah’s progress toward her promise:**

*“By faith we understand that the universe was created by the word of God...” Hebrews 11:3 (HCSB)*

*“He sent a man before them – Joseph – who was sold as a slave. They hurt his feet with fetters, he was laid in irons. Until the time that his word came to pass, the word of the LORD tested him.” Psalm 105:17-19 (NKJV)*

**Birth (Cont’d)**

**1. Prayer of \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 10, 17)**

*“I promise that when any two of you on earth agree about something you are praying for, my Father in heaven will do it for you.” Matthew 18:19 (CEV)*

**2. Perfection of \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 11)**

**3. \_\_\_\_\_ in the Process (v. 19-20, 26)**

*“Hope deferred makes the heart sick, but a longing fulfilled is a tree of life.” Proverbs 13:12 (NIV)*

*“He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes I will give to eat from the tree of life, which is in the midst of the Paradise of God.” Revelations 2:7 (NKJV)*

*LORD GOD, I believe you have a purpose for my life that will bless the world around me. I ask for the grace to believe you no matter what my circumstances say or how long the promise takes. I declare that you are faithful to your Word! In Christ’s Name, AMEN*

**RESOURCES FOR THIS WEEK’S SMALL GROUPS**

**Icebreaker:** Share a testimony of a recently answered prayer.

**Scripture Focus:** Let each member share a verse from this teaching--one that spoke to them personally. What does it mean to them?

**Discussion Focus:** How does the power of agreement strengthen our lives in the test? How can we be better prayer partners in this group?

**Prayer Focus:** Pray for those who weary in well doing.

**REMEMBER** to give an offering for the needy in your group this week, for God has promised us a rich reward (Det. 15:11, Psalm 41:1)